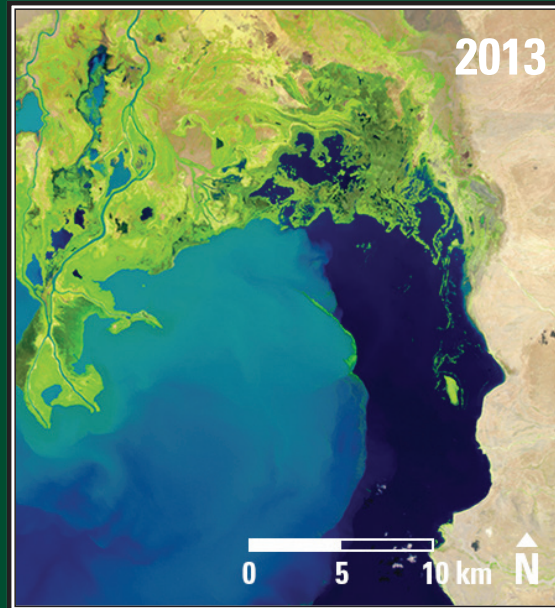
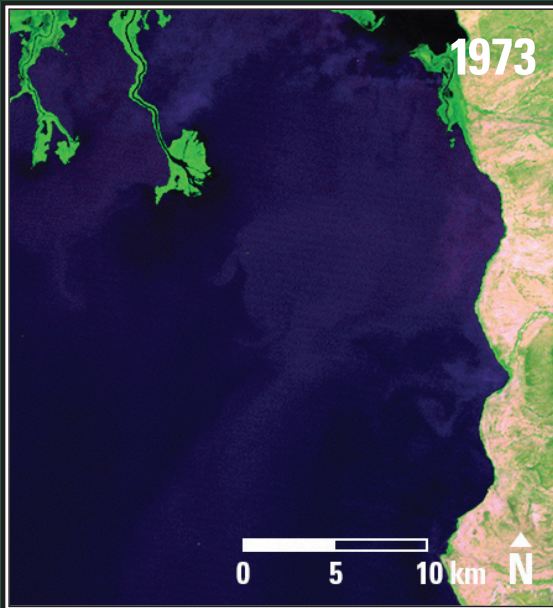


Earthshots

Lake Turkana, Kenya and Ethiopia



Lake Turkana, Kenya and Ethiopia 1973-2013

Lake Turkana lies in the Rift Valley of East Africa. These images show the delta of the Omo River, which provides more than 80% of the water to the lake. Bright green indicates aquatic vegetation on the Omo River delta. The delta expands and shrinks in response to the high rainfall variability in the region.

| Date | Satellite | Bands | Res | Path | Row |
|--------------|---------------|-------|------|------|-----|
| Feb. 1, 1973 | Landsat 1 MSS | 5,7,4 | 79 m | 182 | 57 |
| July 1, 2013 | Landsat 8 OLI | 6,5,4 | 30 m | 169 | 57 |

Earthshots: Satellite Images of Environmental Change

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